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FOAMS BASED ON BIOPOLYMERS

Examiner: John M. Cooney

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SUBSTITUTE APPEAL BRIEF SECTION

Sir:

Please substitute the attached STATUS OF THE CLAIMS section for that in the originally filed Appeal Brief of May 07, 2008. As provided for in the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed May 09, 2008, the Appellants are submitting this substitute section only and not an entire new brief. The Appellants will, however, gladly submit an entire new brief that includes the amended STATUS OF THE CLAIMS section if requested by the Examiner.

III – Status of the Claims

Claims 1-25 and 48-54 are pending and have been rejected.

Claims 26-47 have been canceled.


Claims 1-25 and 48-54 are on appeal.

There are no other claims.

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Respectfully submitted,

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